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COMMUNICATION TO FILE A LATE **DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY DOCUMENT** WITHOUT HAVING RECEIVED A NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Honorable Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

On July 12, 2006, Applicant filed the above-referenced National Stage patent application in the U.S. Patent Office without a Declaration and Power of Attorney document. Applicant has not yet received a *Notice to File Missing Parts*.

Regardless, and in compliance with CFR 1.63, Applicant submits herewith an original, signed Declaration and Power of Attorney document.

Applicant is a Large Entity. In compliance with 37 CFR 1.16(e) and 37 CFR 1.27, you are hereby authorized to withdraw from our Deposit Account, No. 02-0400, the required late filing surcharge of \$130.00, and to include any other fees which may be due at this time. When identifying such a withdrawal, please use our Attorney Docket No. BER-104.

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